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Sep 19, 2002

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DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 20020133850 A1

TITLE: Melon promoters for expression of transgenes in plants

PUBLICATION-DATE: September 19, 2002

INVENTOR - INFORMATION:

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Sep 5, 2002

PGPUB-DOCUMENT-NUMBER: 20020123088

PGPUB-FILING-TYPE: new

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 20020123088 A1

TITLE: Method of measuring total homocysteine

PUBLICATION-DATE: September 5, 2002

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US-CL-CURRENT: 435/18; 435/25

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File: PGPB

Aug 29, 2002

PGPUB-DOCUMENT-NUMBER: 20020119507

PGPUB-FILING-TYPE: new

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 20020119507 A1

TITLE: Determination method of biological component and reagent kit used therefor

PUBLICATION-DATE: August 29, 2002

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 20020119491 A1

TITLE: High expression and production of high specific activity recombinant S-adenosyl

homocysteinase (SAHH) and improved assays for S-adenosylmethionine (SAM)

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PUBLICATION-DATE: August 29, 2002

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US-CL-CURRENT: 435/7.1

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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Ruegger, Max O.

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TITLE: Genes encoding p-coumarate 3-hydroxylase	e (C3H) and methods of use	
PUBLICATION-DATE: May 23, 2002		

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US-CL-CURRENT: 800/278; 435/410, 800/284

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6. Document ID: US 6335170 B1

L2: Entry 6 of 17

File: USPT

Jan 1, 2002

US-PAT-NO: 6335170

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6335170 B1

TITLE: Gene expression in bladder tumors

DATE-ISSUED: January 1, 2002

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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US-CL-CURRENT: $\underline{435/6}$; $\underline{435/91.1}$, $\underline{435/91.2}$, $\underline{536/23.1}$, $\underline{536/24.3}$, $\underline{536/24.31}$, $\underline{536/24.33}$

ABSTRACT:

Methods for analyzing tumor cells, particularly bladder tumor cells employ gene expression analysis of samples. Gene expression patterns are formed and compared to reference patterns. Alternatively gene expression patterns are manipulated to exclude genes which are expressed in contaminating cell populations. Another alternative employs subtraction of the expression of genes which are expressed in contaminating cell types. These methods provide improved accuracy as well as alternative basis for analysis from diagnostic and prognostic tools currently

21 Claims, 24 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 15

Full Title Citation Front Review Classification Date Reference Sequences Attachments

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7. Document ID: US 6306618 B1

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File: USPT

Oct 23, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6306618

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6306618 B1

TITLE: Homocysteine desulphurase from the protozoan trichomonas vaginalis

DATE-ISSUED: October 23, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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US-CL-CURRENT: $\underline{435/18}$; $\underline{435/14}$, $\underline{435/26}$, $\underline{435/4}$, $\underline{435/975}$, $\underline{530/300}$, $\underline{536/23.1}$, $\underline{536/23.2}$, $\underline{536/23.72}$

ABSTRACT:

The present invention relates to an assay for determining homocysteine, cysteine, O-acetyl-L-serine and/or methionine levels in a biological sample using an enzyme that catalyzes the degradation of homocysteine, cysteine, O-acetyl-L-serine and methionine. The enzyme being more particularly homocysteine desulphurase, a polynucleotide fragment encoding

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protozoan homocysteine desulphurase, a recombinant vector comprising a polynucleotide fragment, transformed cells, the protozoan homocysteine desulphurase polypeptide, and pharmaceutical compositions comprising recombinant homocysteine desulphurase for use in medicine or veterinary medicine.

72 Claims, 7 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 5

Full Title Citation Front Review Classification Date Reference Sequences Attachments

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8. Document ID: US 6232081 B1

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File: USPT

May 15, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6232081

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6232081 B1

TITLE: Method for the detection of NF-.kappa.B regulatory factors

DATE-ISSUED: May 15, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

ZIP CODE COUNTRY CITY STATE NAME

ТX Harper; Jeffrey Wade Sugarland TXHouston Elledge; Stephen J. TXSugar Land Winston; Jeffrey T.

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/7.1; 435/7.2, 436/501, 436/516, 436/536

ABSTRACT:

The present invention provides compositions and methods for gene identification, as well as drug discovery and assessment. In particular, the present invention provides components of an E3 complex involved in ubiquitination of cell cycle regulators and other proteins, as well as members of a class of proteins that directly function in recognition of ubiquitination targets. The present invention also provides sequences of multiple F-box proteins.

4 Claims, 33 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 15

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9. Document ID: US 6117849 A

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File: USPT

Sep 12, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6117849

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6117849 A

TITLE: S-(+)-adenosylmethionine and 3'-azido-2', 3'-dideoxy-nucleoside complexes as potent

inhibitors of HIV-replication

DATE-ISSUED: September 12, 2000

INVENTOR - INFORMATION:

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Iserlohn Paradies; H. Heinrich

US-CL-CURRENT: <u>514/45</u>; <u>514/42</u>, <u>514/43</u>, <u>514/46</u>, <u>514/47</u>, <u>514/48</u>, <u>514/49</u>, <u>514/50</u>, <u>514/51</u>, <u>514/885</u>, 536/27.14, 536/27.31, 536/28.2

ABSTRACT:

Molecular Complexes, comprising of S-(+)-adenosylmethionine and 3'-azido-2',3'-dideoxy nucleosides are prepared, and shown to have synergistic inhibitory effects on the replication of human-immunodeficiency virus 1 & 2 in vitro and in vivo, particularly on the reverse transcriptase, and having a high therapeutic index.

23 Claims, 6 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 6

Full Title Citation Front Review Classification Date Reference Sequences Attachments

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10. Document ID: US 6080549 A

L2: Entry 10 of 17

File: USPT

Jun 27, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6080549

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6080549 A

TITLE: Methods and materials for the diagnosis and treatment of schizophrenia and related disorders

DATE-ISSUED: June 27, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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US-CL-CURRENT: 435/7.21; 435/15, 436/501, 436/504, 436/505, 436/63, 436/804, 436/811

ABSTRACT:

Methods for detecting schizophrenia or depression based on modifications of the contribution of the D.sub.4 receptor to phospholipid methylation levels are described herein. Individuals with schizophrenia or depression have a deficiency in phospholipid methylation activity compared with normal individuals. Methods for screening therapeutic processes or agents for use in treatment of schizophrenia or related neuropsychiatric disorders are also described.

4 Claims, 7 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 4

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11. Document ID: US 5738998 A

L2: Entry 11 of 17

File: USPT

Apr 14, 1998

US-PAT-NO: 5738998

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5738998 A

TITLE: Compositions and methods for diagnosing schizophrenia

DATE-ISSUED: April 14, 1998

INVENTOR - INFORMATION:

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US-CL-CURRENT: 435/7.21; 436/161, 436/174, 436/518, 436/519, 436/811

ABSTRACT:

Methods and compositions for detecting schizophrenia based on modification of the dopamine D.sub.4 receptor by addition of an adenosyl group to methionine #313 via methionine adenosyltransferase are described herein. Individuals with schizophrenia have a deficiency in methionine adenosyltransferase activity and a lower amount of modified dopamine D.sub.4 receptor than normal individuals. Methods for screening therapeutic processes, agents and drugs for use in treatment of schizophrenia are also described.

4 Claims, 7 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 6

12. Document ID: US 5686255 A

File: USPT

Nov 11, 1997

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US-PAT-NO: 5686255

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DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5686255 A

TITLE: Compositions and methods for diagnosing schizophrenia

DATE-ISSUED: November 11, 1997

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ABSTRACT:

Methods and compositions for detecting schizophrenia based on modification of the dopamine D.sub.4 receptor by addition of an adenosyl group to methionine #313 via methionine adenosyltransferase are described herein. Individuals with schizophrenia have a deficiency in methionine adenosyltransferase activity and a lower amount of modified dopamine D.sub.4 receptor than normal individuals. Methods for screening therapeutic processes, agents and drugs for use in treatment of schizophrenia are also described.

13 Claims, 7 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 6

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13. Document ID: US 5589623 A

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File: USPT

Dec 31, 1996

US-PAT-NO: 5589623

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5589623 A

TITLE: Genetic control of ethylene biosynthesis in plants

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• DATE-ISSUED: December 31, 1996

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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Brown; Lyle R. Corvallis OR

US-CL-CURRENT: 800/283; 435/320.1, 435/469, 435/470, 800/317.3

ABSTRACT:

A method for control of ethylene biosynthesis in plants comprising a vector containing a selective gene under plant promoter control, and a DNA insert comprising codons for a functional heterologous polypeptide having AdoMetase activity and flanked by a plant promoter on one side and a polyA signal sequence on the other side; and, transforming a plant host with said vector wherein the plant host transformed thereby is capable of expressing the heterologous polypeptide having AdoMetase activity under the control of said control region. The presence of the AdoMetase gene and the expression of AdoMetase in transgenic plants lowers AdoMet levels and generates an inhibitor of ACC synthase causing a corresponding decrease in ethylene biosynthesis and precursor availability. The current construction of transgenic plants containing a copy(s) of the T3 AdoMetase gene allow for construction of plants that will control ethylene biosynthesis under restricted conditions resulting in fruits, vegetables, and flowers which have been modified internally to improve shelf life and preservation qualities.

10 Claims, 10 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 10 Number of Drawing Sheets: 9

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14. Document ID: US 5416250 A

L2: Entry 14 of 17 File: USPT May 16, 1995

US-PAT-NO: 5416250

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5416250 A

TITLE: Genetic control of ethylene biosynthesis in plants using S-adenosylmethionine hydrolase

DATE-ISSUED: May 16, 1995

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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US-CL-CURRENT: 800/283; 435/320.1, 800/298, 800/317.3

ABSTRACT:

A method for control of ethylene biosynthesis in plants comprising a vector containing a selective gene under plant promoter control, and a DNA insert comprising codons for a functional heterologous polypeptide having AdoMetase activity and flanked by a plant promoter on one side and a polyA signal sequence on the other side; and,

transforming a plant host with said vector wherein the plant host transformed thereby is capable of expressing the heterologous polypeptide having AdoMetase activity under the control of said control region. The presence of the AdoMetase gene and the expression of AdoMetase in transgenic plants lowers AdoMet levels and generates an inhibitor of ACC synthase causing a corresponding decrease in ethylene biosynthesis and precursor availability. The current construction of transgenic plants containing a copy(s) of the T3 AdoMetase gene allow for construction of plants that will control ethylene biosynthesis under restricted conditions resulting in fruits, vegetables, and flowers which have been modified internally to improve

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shelf life and preservation qualities.

10 Claims, 8 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1,9 Number of Drawing Sheets: 8

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15. Document ID: US 5366871 A

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File: USPT

Nov 22, 1994

US-PAT-NO: 5366871

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5366871 A

TITLE: Ubiquitin-peptide extensions as enzyme substrates

DATE-ISSUED: November 22, 1994

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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US-CL-CURRENT: $\frac{435}{24}$; $\frac{435}{101}$, $\frac{435}{105}$, $\frac{435}{15}$, $\frac{435}{193}$, $\frac{530}{335}$

ABSTRACT:

A method for assaying for enzymes that modify peptide chains, such as protein kinases and enzymes which modify the C-terminus of the Ha-RAS protein, is defined. This is done by incubating an extract in which the enzyme being assayed for may be present contained in a reaction mixture. The reaction mixture is made up of a buffer solution, a ubiquitin peptide extension, wherein the peptide contains a sequence known to be modified by an agent in the presence of the enzyme being assayed for, and the agent known to modify the peptide extension when the enzyme is present. The incubation is stopped and the ubiquitin peptide extension is separated from the solution and analyzed for the presence of the agent modified peptide. The extent of peptide modification can be both qualitative and quantative of the enzyme being assayed for. Protein kinases can be assayed for using a ubiquitin pepide extension containing the sequence (SEQ ID NO:1), Ser-Glu-Glu-Glu-Glu-Glu in the presence of a phosphorylating agent. Farnesyl-protein transferase can be assayed for using a ubiquitin-peptide extension with the sequence: Pro-Gly-Cys-Met-Ser-Cys-Lys-Cys-Val-Leu-Ser, (SEQ ID NO:11) which are the eleven C-terminal residues of the RAS molecule, in the presence of a farnesylating agent such as .sup.3 H-farnesyl pyrophosphate. Carboxyl methyl transferase can be assayed for using a farnesylated ubiquitin-peptide extension in the presence of a methylating agent such as tritium labeled as [.sup.3 H-methyl] AdeMet.

32 Claims, 1 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 1

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16. Document ID: US 5198346 A

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File: USPT

Mar 30, 1993

US-PAT-NO: 5198346

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5198346 A

TITLE: Generation and selection of novel DNA-binding proteins and polypeptides

DATE-ISSUED: March 30, 1993

ZIP CODE

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

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US-CL-CURRENT: 435/69.1; 435/252.3, 435/320.1, 435/489

ABSTRACT:

Novel DNA-binding proteins, especially repressors of gene expression, are obtained by variegation of genes encoding known binding proteins and selection for proteins binding the desired target DNA sequence. A novel selection vector may be used to reduce artifacts. Heterooligomeric proteins which bind to a target DNA sequence which need not be palindromic are obtained by a variety of methods, e.g., variegation to obtain proteins binding symmetrized forms of the half-targets and heterodimerization to obtain a protein binding the entire asymmetric target.

48 Claims, 16 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 24 Number of Drawing Sheets: 16

Full Title Citation Front Review Classification Date Reference Sequences Attachments

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DERWENT-ACC-NO: 2001-451863

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TITLE: Assessing therapeutic levels of S-adenosylmethionine comprises measuring reaction products in sample containing glycine N-methyltransferase, (His) S-adenosyl homocysteine hydrolase and glycine

INVENTOR: HAN, Q; HOFFMAN, R M; XU, M

PRIORITY-DATA: 2000US-176444P (January 14, 2000), 2001US-0759990 (January 12, 2001)

PATENT-FAMILY:

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INT-CL (IPC): C07 K 14/44; C12 N 15/52; C12 Q 1/48; G01 N 33/53

ABSTRACTED-PUB-NO: US20020119491A

BASIC-ABSTRACT:

 ${\tt NOVELTY - Assessing \ the rapeutic \ levels \ of \ \underline{S-adenosylmethionine}} \ ({\tt SAM}) \ \ in \ a \ biological \ fluid$ sample comprising measuring one or more reaction products in a sample containing glycine N-methyltransferase (GMT), an S-adenosyl homocysteine hydrolase (SAHH) or His.SAHH, and glycine, where the level of one or more products is directly proportional to the level of SAM in the sample, is new.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

- (1) a kit for assaying a sample containing SAM comprising SAHH or His.SAHH, GMT, glycine and instructions for use;
- (2) an assay comprising a biological sample containing SAM, and GMT, glycine, and SAHH or His.SAHH, where SAHH or His.SAHH activity results in a product which can be measured to determine the amount of SAM in the sample;
- (3) an isolated nucleic acid (sequence not given in the specification);
- (4) efficient production of SAHH by expressing a cassette comprising the nucleic acid of (3);
- (5) purifying His.SAHH by precipitating a suspension containing His.SAHH produced from (4), with ammonium sulfate to produce a supernatant and a precipitate, and subjecting the supernatant to His Tag recognizing affinity chromatography;
- (6) purifying His.SAHH with a single chromatography step by subjecting His.SAHH from (4) to Ni-NAT affinity chromatography;
- (7) measuring homocysteine in a biological fluid by contacting the fluid with His.SAHH and measuring the homocysteine to SAH conversion;
- (8) a composition comprising His.SAHH which yields a single band upon analysis by sodium dodecyl sulfate (SDS) polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis;
- (9) depleting excess homocysteine in a biological fluid in vivo or ex vivo by contacting the fluid with SAHH; and

Escherichia coli host cells comprising the nucleic acids.

USE - The method is useful for assaying therapeutic levels of SAM in a biological sample. The method may be used as a part of a diagnostic protocol or as part of a therapeutic protocol, where conditions or progress of the therapy may be monitored. SAHH or His.SAHH may be used as a reagent, particularly screening for inhibitors and inactivators of the enzyme for use as reagents themselves as potential therapeutics, e.g. in cancer, malaria, arthritis and other diseases. Recombinant SAHH may be used as a therapeutic cancer gene in combination with SAH analogs.

ABSTRACTED-PUB-NO:

WO 200151651A EQUIVALENT-ABSTRACTS:

NOVELTY - Assessing therapeutic levels of <u>S-adenosylmethionine</u> (SAM) in a biological fluid sample comprising <u>measuring</u> one or more reaction products in a sample containing glycine N-methyltransferase (GMT), an S-adenosyl homocysteine <u>hydrolase</u> (SAHH) or His.SAHH, and glycine, where the level of one or more products is directly proportional to the level of SAM in the sample, is new.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

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- (2) an assay comprising a biological sample containing SAM, and GMT, glycine, and SAHH or His.SAHH, where SAHH or His.SAHH activity results in a product which can be measured to determine the amount of SAM in the sample;
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- (4) efficient production of SAHH by expressing a cassette comprising the nucleic acid of (3);
- (5) purifying His.SAHH by precipitating a suspension containing His.SAHH produced from (4), with ammonium sulfate to produce a supernatant and a precipitate, and subjecting the supernatant to His Tag recognizing affinity chromatography;
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TITLE:

Endocrine disruptor screening using DNA chips of

endocrine disruptor-responsive genes

INVENTOR(S):

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A method and kit for detecting endocrine-disrupting chems. using DNA microarrays are claimed. The method comprises prepg. a nucleic acid sample contg. mRNAs or cDNAs originating in cells, tissues, or organisms which have been brought into contact with a sample contg. the endocrine disruptor. The nucleic acid sample is hybridized with DNA microarrays having genes affected by the endocrine disruptor or DNA fragments $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right) +\left(1\right) \left(1\right) \left(1\right) +\left(1\right) \left(1\right)$ originating in these genes have been fixed. The results obtained are then compared with the results obtained with the control sample to select the gene affected by the endocrine disruptor. Genes whose expression is altered by tri-Bu tin, 4-octaphenol, 4-nonylphenol, di-N-Bu phthalate, dichlorohexyl phthalate, octachlorostyrene, benzophenone, diethylhexyl phthalate, diethylstilbestrol (DES), and 17-.beta. estradiol (E2), were found in mice by DNA chip anal.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER:

136:319709

TITLE:

Transcriptional profiling reveals global defects in

energy metabolism, lipoprotein, and bile acid synthesis and transport with reversal by leptin

treatment in Ob/ob mouse liver Liang, Chien-Ping; Tall, Alan R.

AUTHOR(S):

CORPORATE SOURCE: Division of Molecular Medicine, Department of

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SOURCE: Journal of Biological Chemistry (2001), 276(52),

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CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258

PUBLISHER: American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

Leptin, a hormone secreted by adipose tissue, has been shown to have a major influence on hepatic lipid and lipoprotein metab. To characterize changes in lipid and lipoprotein gene expression in mouse liver, suppression subtractive hybridization and cDNA microarray anal. were used to identify mRNAs differentially expressed after leptin treatment of ob/ob mice. Ob/ob mice showed a profound decrease in mRNAs encoding genes controlling bile acid synthesis and transport as well as a variety of apolipoprotein genes and hepatic lipase with reversal upon leptin administration, suggesting that leptin coordinately regulates high d. lipoprotein and bile salt metab. Leptin administration also resulted in decreased expression of genes involved in fatty acid and cholesterol synthesis, glycolysis, gluconeogenesis, and urea synthesis, and increased expression of genes mediating fatty acid oxidn., ATP synthesis, and oxidant defenses. The changes in mRNA expression are consistent with a switch in energy metab. from glucose utilization and fatty acid synthesis to fatty acid oxidn. and increased respiration. The latter changes may produce oxidant stress, explaining the unexpected finding that leptin induces a battery of genes involved in antioxidant defenses. Expression cluster anal. revealed responses of several sets of genes that were kinetically linked. Thus, the mRNA levels of genes involved in fatty acid and cholesterol synthesis are rapidly (<1 h) repressed by leptin administration, in assocn. with an acute decrease in plasma insulin levels and decreased sterol regulator element-binding protein-1 expression. In contrast, genes participating in fatty acid oxidn. and ketogenesis were induced more slowly (24 h), following an increase in expression of their common regulatory factor, peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor .alpha.. However, the regulation of genes involved in high d. lipoprotein and bile salt metab. shows complex kinetics and is likely to be mediated by novel transcription factors.

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TITLE: Quantitative proteomic analysis of mouse liver

response to the peroxisome proliferator

diethylhexylphthalate (DEHP)

AUTHOR(S): MacDonald, Neil; Chevalier, Stephan; Tonge, Robert; Davison, Matthew; Rowlinson, Rachel; Young, Janice;

Rayner, Steve; Roberts, Ruth

CORPORATE SOURCE: Syngenta Central Toxicology Laboratory, Cheshire,

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Peroxisome proliferators (PPs) are a diverse group of chems. that cause hepatic proliferation, suppression of apoptosis, peroxisome proliferation and liver tumors in rodents. The biochem. response to PPs involves changes in the expression of peroxisomal .beta.-oxidn. enzymes and fatty acid transport proteins such as acyl-CoA oxidase and liver fatty acid binding protein. The response to PPs is mediated by the peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor .alpha. (PPAR.alpha.) and the livers of PPAR.alpha.-null transgenic mice do not develop tumors in response to PPs. In order to identify the mol. pathways underlying the adverse effects of PPs in rodent liver, we carried out two-dimensional differential gel electrophoresis to provide quant. proteomic analyses of diethylhexylphthalate (DEHP)-treated wild-type or PPAR.alpha.-null mouse livers. Since tumorigenesis is both PP- and PPAR.alpha.-dependent,

analyses were focused on these changes. Fifty-nine proteins were identified where altered expression was both PPAR.alpha. - and PP-dependent. In addn., six proteins regulated by the deletion of PPAR.alpha. were identified, possibly indicating an adaptive change in response to the loss of this receptor. The proteins that we identified as being regulated by PPAR.alpha. are known to be involved in lipid metab. pathways, but also in amino acid and carbohydrate metab., mitochondrial bioenergetics and in stress responses including several genes not previously reported to be regulated by PPAR.alpha.. These data provide novel insights into the pathways utilized by PPs and may assist in the identification of early markers rodent nongenotoxic hepatocarcinogenesis.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:694435 SCISEARCH

THE GENUINE ARTICLE: XV706

TITLE: Pancreatic exocrine secretion is blocked by inhibitors of

methvlation

AUTHOR: Capdevila A; DechaUmphai W; Song K H; Borchardt R T;

Wagner C (Reprint)

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COUNTRY OF AUTHOR: USA

SOURCE: ARCHIVES OF BIOCHEMISTRY AND BIOPHYSICS, (1 SEP 1997) Vol.

345, No. 1, pp. 47-55.

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AB A number of early experiments suggested a relationship between methyl group metabolism and the exocrine secretion of the pancreas. These included nutritional studies showing that ethionine, the ethyl analog of methionine which inhibits cellular methylation reactions, is a specific pancreatic toxin. Other studies indicated that protein carboxymethylation might be involved. We now show that in vivo ethionine inhibits amylase secretion from freshly isolated rat pancreatic acini, while in vitro ethionine inhibits amylase secretion from the ARA2J pancreatic cell line. S-Adenosylhomocysteine (SAH) is a product inhibitor of all

methyltransferase reactions involving S-adenosylmethionine (SAM), and treatments that elevate cellular levels of SAH such as inhibition of S-adenosylhomocysteine hydrolase and the in vitro addition of adenosine and homocysteine result in the inhibition of amylase secretion in both isolated pancreatic acini and AR42J cells. Measurement of SAM and SAH levels in AR42J cells shows that inhibition of secretion is more closely related to elevation of SAH levels than to a decrease in the SAM/SAH ratio. Small G-proteins are carboxymethylated on the C-terminal prenylated cysteine and inhibitors of membrane-associated prenylcysteine methyltransferase, N-acetylfarnesylcysteine, N-acetylgeranylgeranylcysteine, and farnesylthioacetic acid (FTA), block secretion in AR42J cells.

farnesylthioacetic acid (FTA), block secretion in AR42J cells. N-Acetylgeranylcysteine is not an inhibitor of the methyltransferase and does not inhibit amylase secretion. FTA inhibits membrane-associated prenylcysteine methyltransferase from AR42J cells with a K-i in the 45-69 mu M range. These results suggest that a methylation event is needed for pancreatic exocrine secretion which may be the reversible methylation of a G-protein involved in signal transduction or membrane trafficking. (C) 1997 Academic Press.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 123:333343

TITLE: Specific staining of glycine N-

methyltransferase

AUTHOR(S):

Santos, Fatima; Amorim, Antonio; Koempf, Jost

CORPORATE SOURCE: SOURCE:

Faculdade de Ciencias, Univ. Porto, Oporto, Port. Electrophoresis (1995), 16(10), 1898-9

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English

Glycine N-methyltransferase from rabbit,

human, rat and pig livers was sepd. by isoelec. focusing and a specific functional staining method was developed through the detection of sarcosine produced from the methylation of glycine. Isoenzyme patterns obtained in the various species tested differ both in the no. of bands and apparent isoelec. points. These differences may explain the contradictory data on the subunit structure and glycosylation status of the enzyme reported so far.

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ACCESSION NUMBER:

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TITLE:

Tissue distribution of S-

adenosylmethionine and S-adenosylhomocysteine in rat. Effect of age, sex and methionine administration on the metabolism of Sadenosylmethionine, S-adenosylhomocysteine and

polvamines

AUTHOR(S):

Eloranta, Terho O.

CORPORATE SOURCE: SOURCE:

Dep. Biochem., Univ. Kuopio, Kuopio, Finland Biochemical Journal (1977), 166(3), 521-9

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Journal English

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The distribution of S-adenosylmethionine (I),

S-adenosylhomocysteine (II), methionine adenosyltransferase (EC 2.5.1.6) (III), and S-adenosylhomocysteine hydrolase (EC 3.3.1.1) (IV) in rat tissues was similar in males and females and changed only slightly with age. The sp. activity of IV was greater than that of III, and the concn. of I was greater than that of II in all tissues. However, the hepatic I/II ratio depended on food supply and age. Methionine administration (i.p.) produced a transient increase in hepatic I and II concns. and brain I was elevated during the first 2 h after methionine injection. Simultaneous glycine administration decreased the rise in I concn. induced by methionine. The tissue concn. of methionine may be the rate-limiting factor in I formation. Glycine N- $\,$ methyltransferase may have a regulatory role in hepatic

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TITLE:

Depression of human sperm motility by inhibition

of enzymatic methylation.

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AB Alteration of membrane fluidity during enzymatic methylation of membrane phosphatidyl-ethanolamine (PE) and neutralization of negative charges of membrane proteins due to methylation of carboxyl groups may contribute to sperm motility. Therefore, enzymatic phospholipid methylation and carboxymethylation, and the consequences of their inhibition on motility, were studied using human sperm. These studies gave the following results. Human sperm homoganates contained two phospholipid N-methyltransferases (PMT) which converted PE to phosphatidylcholine (PC) in the presence of S-adenosylmethionine (SAM). The first PMT converted PE to phosphatidyl-N-methylethanolamine (PME). In had a Km of 4.0 microM and a pH optimum of 8.0. The second PMT converted PME to phosphatidyl-N,Ndimethylethanolamine and PC. It had a Km of 71 microM and a pH optimum of 10.0. Spermatozoa also contained protein carboxymethylase (PCM) and methyl aceptor protein (MAP). The intracellular levels of S-adenosylhomocysteine (SAH), an inhibitor of SAM-mediated methylations, were increased by adding adenosine (100 microM), L-homocysteine thiolactone (L-HCT, 10 microM), and erythro-9-(2-hydroxy-3-nonyl)-adenine (EHNA, 10 microM), an inhibitor of adenosine deaminase, to human sperm ejaculates that had been diluted with sodium phosphate buffer at pH 7.4 and 25 degrees. The motility index of each sperm suspension was determined every hour for 4 hr. In the presence of the mixture of adenosine, L-HCT and EHNA, the motility index was depressed by 57%. Under similar conditions, phospholipid methylation was depressed by 48%. Similar experiments were also conducted in the presence of 3-deazaadenosine (Deaza, 80 microM), a selective inhibitor of SAH hydrolase. In the presence of adenosine and L-HCT, Deaza depressed the motility index by 60% and phospholipid methylation by 86%. The potencies of SAH in the inhibition of phospholipid methylation and protein carboxymethylation in sperm homogenates had the following order: PMT I greater than PCM greater than PMT II. These observations indicate that the PMT system and/or the PCM-MAP system play a significant role in the regulation of human sperm motility.

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TITLE: Depression of human sperm motility by inhibition

of enzymatic methylation.

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CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Pharmacol., Vanderbilt Univ. Sch. Med., Nashville, TN

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CODEN: BCPCA6

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

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LANGUAGE: English

AB Alteration of membrane fluidity during enzymatic methylation of membrane phosphatidylethanolamine (PE) and neutralization of negative charges of membrane proteins due to methylation of carboxyl groups may contribute to sperm motility. Therefore, enzymatic phospholipid methylation and carboxymethylation, and the consequences of their inhibition on motility, were studied using human sperm. These studies gave the following results.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 88304607 MEDLINE

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TITLE: Clinical correlations of one-carbon metabolism

abnormalities.

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B; Keriotis J T; Allison J G; Cates A; Antun F; Smythies J

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PSYCHIATRY, (1988) 12 (4) 491-502. Journal code: 8211617. ISSN: 0278-5846.

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AB 1. Ninety psychiatric inpatients with a DSM III diagnosis of schizophrenia, mania, or major depression were studied. 2. Upon admission/transfer to the Clinical Studies Unit, and prior to discharge, measurements of symptom severity (BPRS, Ham-D, Young's Mania Scale) and blood samples were obtained. 3. Erythrocytes from these paired (admission and discharge) blood samples were assayed for methionine adenosyltransferase (MAT) activity and phosphatidylcholine (PC) content. 4. Comparisons were made between the changes in MAT Vmax, or % PC, and changes in symptom severity. 5. For the majority of the patients (79.3% of the schizophrenics; 84.6% of the depressives; and 93.8% of the manics), clinical improvement was associated with a "normalization" of enzyme activity. The association between changes in % PC and clinical response did not achieve significant correlation.

L45 ANSWER 2 OF 3 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS ACCESSION NUMBER: 1988:402555 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 109:2555

TITLE: Decreased calcium-binding and calcium-ATPase

activities in heart sarcolemma upon phospholipid

methylation

AUTHOR(S): Panagia, Vincenzo; Elimban, Vijayan; Ganguly, Pallab

K.; Dhalla, Naranjan S.

CORPORATE SOURCE:

Fac. Med., Univ. Manitoba, Winnipeg, MB, R3E 0W3, Can. Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry (1987), 78(1),

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CODEN: MCBIB8; ISSN: 0300-8177

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

Heart sarcolemma has been shown to possess 3 catalytic sites (I. II and III) for Me transferase activity (Panagia, V., et al., 1984).

The effect of phosphatidylethanolamine N-methylation on ATP-independent Ca2+ binding and ATPase activities in isolated rat heart sarcolemma was examd. Both low-affinity (1.25 mM Ca2+) and high-affinity (50 .mu.M Ca2+) Ca2+-binding activities decreased following incubation of sarcolemmal

membranes with S-adenosylmethionine (AdoMet) under

optimal conditions for site II and III. Similarly, Ca2+-ATPase activities measured at 1.25 mM and 4 mM Ca2+ were depressed by phospholipid N-methylation. S-Adenosylhomocysteine, a specific inhibitor of

phospholipid N-methylation, prevented the depression of low-affinity Ca2+ binding and Ca2+-ATPase activities, whereas the methylation-induced effect on the high-affinity Ca2+ binding was not influenced by this agent. Pretreatment of sarcolemma with Me acetimidate-HCl, an amino group-blocking agent, also prevented the

methylation-induced inhibition of both Ca2+ binding and Ca2+-ATPase. A further decrease in Ca2+ binding and Ca2+-ATPase activities together with a marked increase in the intramembranal level of PC was seen when membranes were methylated under the site III conditions in the presence of phosphatidyldimethylethanolamine as exogenous substrate. There was no effect of phospholipid methylation on sarcolemmal Na+-K+-ATPase and Mg2+-ATPase activities. These results indicate a role of phospholipid N-methylation in the regulation of sarcolemmal Ca2+-ATPase and

low-affinity ATP-independent Ca2+ binding.

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DEPRESSION OF HUMAN SPERM MOTILITY BY INHIBITION TITLE:

OF ENZYMATIC METHYLATION. SASTRY B V R; JANSON V E

CORPORATE SOURCE: DEP. PHARMACOL., VANDERBILT UNIV. SCH. MED., NASHVILLE.

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AB Rickettsia prowazekii, the causative agent of epidemic typhus, is an obligate, intracellular, parasitic bacterium that grows within the cytoplasm of eucaryotic host cells. Rickettsiae exploit this intracellular environment by using transport systems for the compounds available in the host cell's cytoplasm. Analysis of the R. prowazekii Madrid E genome sequence revealed the presence of a mutation in the rickettsial metK gene, the gene encoding the enzyme responsible for the synthesis of S-adenosylmethionine (AdoMet). Since AdoMet is required for rickettsial processes, the apparent inability of this strain to synthesize AdoMet suggested the presence of a rickettsial AdoMet transporter. We have confirmed the presence of an AdoMet transporter in the rickettsiae which, to our knowledge, is the first bacterial AdoMet transporter identified. The influx of AdoMet into rickettsiae was a saturable process with a K(T) of 2.3 micro M. Transport was inhibited by S-adenosylethionine and S-adenosylhomocysteine but not by sinfungin or methionine. Transport was also inhibited by 2,4-dinitrophenol, suggesting an energy-linked transport mechanism, and by N-ethylmaleimide. AdoMet transporters with similar properties were also identified in the Breinl strain of R. prowazekii and in Rickettsia typhi. By screening Escherichia coli clone banks for AdoMet transport, the R. prowazekii gene coding for a transporter, RP076 (sam), was identified. AdoMet transport in E. coli containing the R. prowazekii sam gene exhibited kinetics similar to that seen in rickettsiae. The existence of a rickettsial transporter for AdoMet raises intriguing questions concerning the evolutionary relationship between the synthesis and transport of this essential metabolite.

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progressive epilepsy seen in the Pcmtl-/- mice.

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S-adenosylhomocysteine hydrolase in the brain tissue of these mice. Because changes in the AdoMet/AdoHcy ratio could potentially alter the overall excitatory state of the brain, this effect may play a role in the

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 135:314399

TITLE: Detection of variations in the DNA methylation profile

of genes in the determining the risk of

disease

INVENTOR(S):

Berlin, Kurt; Piepenbrock, Christian; Olek, Alexander

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):

Epigenomics A.-G., Germany PCT Int. Appl., 636 pp.

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Metabolic responses to water deficit that lead to an accumulation of cyclitols, have been examined in rice bean (Vigna umbellata [Thunb.] Ohwi et Ohashi). Imposition of drought stress by withholding water from the soil for 9 days led to an accumulation of D-ononitol (1D-4-0-methyl-myoinositol) which was most pronounced in leaves (from 33 to 88 mu mol g(-1)dry mass). However, the activity of the enzyme myo-inositol 6-0methyltransferase (m60MT, EC 2.1.1.X), which catalyzes the synthesis of ononitol from myo-inositol and S-adenosyl-L-methionine (AdoMet). increased in stems but not in leaves during the drought stress experiment. Detailed analysis of different plant parts revealed that the accumulation of ononitol in leaves was linearly related to stem m60MT activity during drought stress, indicating that m60MT may control the in vivo biosynthetic rate of this cyclitol. The availability of

myo-inositol, required for enhanced rates of ononitol synthesis by m60MT, increased during the stress experiment, while the capacity to synthezise AdoMet by S-adenosyl-L-methionine synthetase (SMS, EC 2.5.1.6) decreased. However the high capacity for degradation of S-adenosyl-L-homocysteine (AdoHcy; a potent competitive inhibitor of m60MT) by the enzyme S-adenosyl-L-homocysteine hydrolase (SHH, EC 3.3.1.1)

provided favourable conditions for ononitol biosynthesis during the whole stress treatment.

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(MDL-28,842), AN IRREVERSIBLE INHIBITOR OF

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 $\textbf{S-Adenosylmethionine-} \\ \texttt{dependent} \ \ \texttt{transmethylation}$ reactions are required for many critical pathways in human cells. The enzyme S-adenosylhomocysteine hydrolase converts S-adenosylhomocysteine, a potent endogenous inhibitor of S-adenosylmethionine -mediated methyltransferase reactions, to adenosine and L-homocysteine. The effects of the inhibitor of S-adenosylhomocysteine hydrolase, Z-4',5'-didehydro-5'-deoxy-5'-fluoro-adenosine (MDL 28,842), on the growth -of cultured keratinocytes and cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma lines were investigated. MDL 28,842 suppressed the proliferation of all cells in a dose-dependent manner, and significantly increased keratinocyte differentiation at a concentration of 1 muM. Following incubation with MDL 28,842, the methylation indices (ratio of Sadenosylmethionine/S-adenosylhomocysteine) of undifferentiated keratinocytes and squamous cell carcinoma lines were significantly decreased.

These data demonstrate that the inhibitory effect of MDL 28,842 on squamous carcinoma cells and keratinocyte proliferation may result directly from inhibition of S-adenosylhomocysteine hydrolase activity. The antiproliferative activity of MDL 28,842 against squamous carcinoma cells and keratinocytes suggests a potential role for MDL 28,842 as a novel therapeutic agent for neoplastic and hyperproliferative disorders of the

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Administration of S-adenosyl-L-methionine (SAM) (200 mg/kg) to adult mice significantly elevated its cerebral levels while the steady-state levels of histamine (HA) and S-adenosyl-L-homocysteine remained unaltered. [3H]HA (1 microCi/10 microliters) was injected intraventricularly (i.vt.) 20 sec. 2, 5, 10 or 20 min prior to sacrifice (1 hr after SAM) and brains were analyzed for [3H]HA, [3H]methylhistamine (MeHA) and [3H] methylimidazoleacetic acid. Brains of SAM-treated mice contained more

[3H] HA than vehicle-treated controls at 20 sec, 2, 5 and 10 min (22, 35, 52 and 25%, respectively). [3H]MeHA levels were lower than controls at 20 sec, but higher at 2 and 5 min. Fifteen minutes after i.vt.

[3H] histidine, brains of SAM-treated mice contained 47% more [3H] HA and 39% more [3H]MeHA (compared to controls) while [3H]histidine and

[3H] methylimidazoleacetic acid levels remained unchanged. SAM treatment had no effect on the activity of cerebral histamine-N-

methyltransferase, S-adenosyl-L-homocysteine

hydrolase and monoamine oxidase type A (substrate

5-hydroxytryptamine) when tested in vitro, while monoamine oxidase B (substrate phenylethylamine) activity was significantly decreased. In vitro, SAM had no effect on monoamine oxidase A or B. The findings demonstrate that, unexpectedly, the rate of catabolism of HA to MeHA is significantly decelerated in brains containing elevated levels of SAM.

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Application to the determination of S-methyl-L-homocysteine hydrolase

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Conditions were **detd**. for sepn. of S-adenosyl-L-homocysteine (I) by paired-ion chromatog. on .mu.-Bondapak C18 in aq. MeOH contg. heptanesulfonic acid, with an absorbance detector operating at 254 nm. The facile sepn. of I from related compds. permitted **detn**. of I hydrolase by **measuring** I formation from adenosine and homocysteine; this reaction need not be coupled to a 2nd enzymic reaction as does the hydrolytic reaction on which previous assays were based. Catechol O-methyltransferase was also **measured** by I **detn**. in reaction mixts. after incubation of enzyme and S -adenosylmethionine with dopamine or noradrenaline.

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